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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re. application of: Hideki UCHIDA	International Application No.: PCT/JP2004/003044
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Filed: concurrently herewith	
For: DIMMING DEVICE AND DISPLAY DEVICE INCORPORATING THE SAME	

**GENERAL AUTHORIZATION/REQUEST TO PETITION FOR EXTENSIONS OF TIME**

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Dear Sir:

With reference to the subject application, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner to treat any correspondence requiring a petition for extension of time as containing such a request therefor for the appropriate length of time. This general authorization is effective during the pendency of this application, including any division or continuing application therefrom.

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Where no check is received by the Commissioner, you are hereby authorized to charge payment of the requisite petition fees, or charge any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-1353.

Respectfully submitted,

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